

Attorney Docket No. 04080/LH

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Mitsuo AZUMAI  
Serial No. : 10/773,369  
Confirm. No.: 9411  
Filed : February 5, 2004  
For : MANAGEMENT SYSTEM OF IMAGE  
FORMING DEVICE  
Art Unit : 2625  
Examiner : Chan S. Park

**ELECTION AND AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

S I R :

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed  
January 3, 2008, the term for response to which expires on  
February 3, 2008.

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1, 4 and 8  
are amended; claims 12 and 13 are added; and claims 2, 3, 5-7 and  
11 are maintained.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

This paper is being submitted  
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petition for extension of time  
is not filed concurrently  
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as a Petition for the requisite  
extension of time, and to the  
extent not already paid,  
authorization to charge the  
extension fee to Account  
No. 06-1378. In addition,  
authorization is hereby given to  
charge any fees for which  
payment has not been submitted,  
or to credit any overpayments,  
to Account No. 06-1378.